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In re Patent Application of:

Zhaolin Lu et al.

Application No.: 10/597,162 Group Art Unit: 2883

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For: OPTICAL COUPLER FOR COUPLING AN

OPTICAL FIBER INTO A WAVEGUIDE

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Filing Receipt Corrections
Office of Initial Patent Examination
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests that a corrected Filing Receipt be issued in the aboveidentified patent application. The official Filing Receipt received by Applicant, a copy of which is attached hereto, has two errors.

One of the inventors, Dennis W. Prather was erroneously not listed by the Office. Also inventor Zhaolin LU's home address is in Newark, DELAWARE not Newark, GERMANY as listed by the Patent and Trademark Office. Enclosed please find the Application Data Sheet and Declaration as taken from the Image File Wrapper in the application, which clearly show both inventors' names and their home addresses.

The corrected filing receipt should list both Dennis W. PRATHER and Zhaolin LU as co-inventors and residing in Newark, DELAWARE. As the error was made by the Patent and Trademark Office, it is believed that no fee is due.

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Applicant additionally requests that all pertinent U.S. Patent and Trademark Office records relating to the subject application be changed to reflect this correction.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this request. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 22-0185, under Order No. 00131-00355-US2 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: March 20, 2007 Respectfully submitted,

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